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APPLICANT: NEMIROFF ET AL.

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EXAMINER: WERNER, DAVID N

TITLE: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PROCESSING A BITSTREAM IN A DIGITAL VIDEO TRANSCODER

REPLY TO OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Office Action mailed September 11, 2008 concerning the above-identified application. This reply is provided in response to the Office Action in accordance with 37 CFR § 1.111. An extension of time is requested, and this response is accompanied by the required fee. Applicant submits the following remarks and respectfully requests the Examiner to reconsider the rejections made in the Office Action and to allow the claims to issue.

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Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.